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Applicant: James William Otter
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Title: BLACK LAYER COATED HEAT EXCHANGER

RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on March 18, 2002. Claims 1-5, 8 and 21 and 22 remain in this application, and Claims 6, 7 and 9-20 have been withdrawn from consideration. Claim 1-5 have been amended, claim 8 has been deleted, and new claims 21 and 22 have been added. Please amend the application as follows.

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